County News

Beckham

Beckham, Nov. 13: Mr. and Mrs. John Tucker and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. James Kessler, of Lynchburg were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W Grow Sunday week.

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Rev and Mrs. C. H Williams were supper guests last Monday of Mrs. E. C. Maxin.

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Mr and Mrs. M M. Drinkard were guests last Saturday evening of Mr. J. B. Whitehead.

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Charlie Steppe, of Lynchburg was the week end guest of his aunt Mrs. J. T. Morris.

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Mr and Mrs. Clyde Moore and daughter, of Appomattox were the guests Sunday of Mrs. H. O. Martin.

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Mrs. M. M Drinkard had anold fashioned quilting party on last Wednesday, completing two quilts. Those present were:Mesdames T. M. Martin, J. I. Moore; H. R Moore; A. A Bell, C. A. Moore; A. C. Martin; A F Drinkard; A. C. Moore R. E. Mays, H. O. Martin and Miss Virginia Moore.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gibb Martin and family, and J. E. Martin spent the week end in Roanoke visiting their sister, Mrs F. E. Moore and other relatives.

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The first quarterly conference of the Appomattox circuit for this conference year]will]be]held at Trinity church on Wednesday, the 20th at 11 A. M.

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Mr. and Mrs. Enid Phelps and son, of Evergreen]were recent visitors of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Moore.

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Mr. and Mrs W A Weakley had as their guests last Wednesday night: Misses Christine Garrett, Louise Scruggs and Mattie Moss, the faculty of the Stonewall school.

Vera

Vera, Nov. 13: Mrs. Cora Robertson; Thomas Megginson are on the sick ilst.

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Mrs. Ella Carter has returned from Covington, where she has been at the bedside of her daughter, Mrs. Reamer Austin.

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Mr. and Mrs. Buster Carter, Mr. and Mrs Fred Robertson; Ben Megginson, Walker Beale; Christian Carter were Saturday night guests of Mr. and Mrs Winston Thornhill.

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Herbert Carefit, of Richmond visited here Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Beale, Mr and Mrs. Clarence Beale; Bernard and James Harvey were the guests of Mr and Mrs. Willie Beale on Sunday.

Mrs. Robert Coleman, Mrs Tom Robertson; Mrs. Lula Bosh and Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Robertson spent Monday with Mrs. Ruh Robertson.

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Mr and Mrs. George Booker and Mr. and Mrs. Winston Thornhill were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Robertson,

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Mr and Mrs. R. B. Witt, of Lynch burg spent Saturday with her sister, Mrs. Rachel Robertson.

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Miss Lizzie Robertson spent Monday with her aunt, Mrs. Maude Abbitt.

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Mrs. Scott Beale and Miss Rosa Beale, of Farmville spent the week end with home people.

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Airship crashes at Lawrenceville.

Puppet Shows

Puppet shows were common among the Greeks, from whom the Romans received them. Xenophon, Aristotle Gellius, Horace and others mention them. Such exhibitions, which are so pleasing to children and the uneducated, have naturally passed through various degrees of perfection in different ages. In 1674 there was a puppet opera at Paris which met with great applause.

Renting Equipped Farms

The usual terms on which fully equipped farms are rented are a 50-50 division of income and expense. This type of lease is known as the 50-50 live stock share lease. The landlord furnishes the farm and one-half of the productive live stock. He pays the taxes, insurance and upkeep of the buildings. The tenant furnishes the work stock and machinery and the other one-half of the productive live stock. The operating expense and the operating income are shared equally. Slight modifications of this plan may be made to cover special conditions on individual farms.—George A. Pond, division of agricultural economics, University of Minnesota.

Australia Taxes Wheat

In an effort to solve the surplus wheat problem in Australia, the commonwealth has adopted a law permitting the levying of a processing tax of not more than 7.3 cents per bushel, to be paid farmers for withholding their grain from the market. This is not an acreage control plan, but a marketing plan. Farmers who suffer any loss from holding the wheat may be compensated up to the limit of the tax. Conditions to the payment require that the beneficiary of the tax be the actual producer of the wheat, that the grain be in good condition when stored, that it be at least six months in storage and that it total at least 4,000 bushels.

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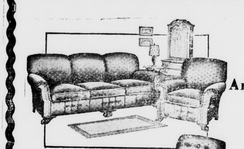

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New Grain Aids Cattle Feeders

Oats, Wheat, Barley, Corn in Combinations Show Good Results.

By E. T. Robbins, Animal Husbandry Specialist, College of Agriculture, University of Illinois.—WNU Service.

Combinations of the various small grains recently threshed on farms are now being used to good advantage by cattle feeders to carry their lambs along until the new corn crop becomes available. With favorable cattle prices in prospect, feeders plan to keep their animals gaining as rapidly as possible and then put on the finish with the new corn this fall.

Among the combinations showing good results are oats and wheat, oats and barley, or oats, wheat and corn where corn is available. These grain rations along with good pasture and legume hay, so plentiful in many state this year, have produced good gains and furnish a fairly economical way of keeping cattle growing and more corn is available.

Some operators are buying corn to continue the feeding program which they started in the spring. In cases where cattle fed in this manner have been sold, they have paid a good profit turn on the feed and risk which was involved in the venture.

Cattle feeders are also making plans to conserve all the roughage available for next winter's feeding, since last winter they found that roughage is the economical feed for wintering cattle as well as a good supplement to grain rations where the animals are being fattened for market.

The silo is expected to be the most popular place for the storage of corn fodder and corn stover as well as many other types of roughages. Pit silos are especially suitable, since they may be constructed at a relatively small cost to take care of the extra amount of roughage crops expected this year.

Apple Pomace Good Cow Feed, Tests Indicate

Large and increasing quantities of apples are ground and pressed in the manufacture of cider. In the past, little use has been made of the pomace or pomace which is often allowed to accumulate in huge heaps around the building housing the cider press.

It has been the popular belief that apple pomace was comparatively worthless, or even dangerous, to feed for live stock. Consequently, many of these pomace piles were allowed to decay or were hauled away as fertilizer. The pomace is highly palatable and if animals were allowed free access to it they would likely eat enough to cause them to founder or bloat. Several agricultural experiment stations have shown by feeding comparisons that silage made from apple pomace has nearly the same feeding value as corn silage.

Pomace stored in drums or boxes for two or three months before feeding loses only a very small amount through surface spoilage. Otherwise it keeps in perfect condition, making an apparently harmless disappearance of the portion in immediate contact with the iron walls of the container. It is highly palatable and can be fed in much the same way and to the same extent as corn silage.

Low-Cutting Corn Slows Binder

Some farms are too small and others do not plant enough acres of corn to justify purchase of a corn binder. In such instances corn is cut with the old-fashioned hand knife, a slow and tiresome job. But Uncle Sam has come to the rescue of such growers by designing a corn-cutting knife which costs little to build, cuts two rows at a time and with which one man and a horse can cut as much as a day as with a standard corn binder. It cuts so low on every stalk that little stubble is left in the field. Corn borers may hide and winter in 1,500 to 2,000 pounds more fodder per the acre.

Bird Sells Newspapers

Travelers at the West station in Budapest may buy newspapers from a most unusual paper seller in Hungary. He is a tame sparrow, which belongs to Margit Step, who runs the station bird gives change by picking up the coins and placing them in the customer's hand. Margit named the sparrow when it fell from its nest and trained it. The bird "knows bed" in a pocket of Margit's apron, especially lined with wool for the purpose.

Ghost, Girl Ventriloquist Tarves, Scotland, Is Breathless

Again after Its greatest ghost scare, which was started by a nine-year-old girl. The district had been terrified and alarmed for some days by strange voices which came from the walls of a house, reciting the Lord's prayer one minute and singing comic sailor songs the next. A local minister and the "ghost" was found to be a girl, who confessed to being a natural ventriloquist.

City Celebrates for Month

Selkirk, Scotland, ancient royal burgh of the Scottish borders, recently completed a month of celebrations commemorating its foundation 400 years ago. Among the outstanding events were the traditional ceremonies marking the borders, in which 200 horsemen participated, and the marching, singing, arm, of 2,000 lads, who sang the border songs as they went through the town.

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PORCUPINE AN OLD TIMER IN AMERICA

Probably Been Here About Two Million Years.

Washington, D. C.—The porcupine family were "old settlers" in North America. The oldest fossil belonging in this rodent group yet found on the continent has been identified in material gathered in the Snake river valley of Idaho by Dr. C. Lewis Gazin, Smithsonian institution paleontologist. The deposits belonged to the late pliocene or early pleistocene period of the geologists, about at the start of the great ice ages more than 2,000,000 years ago.

This porcupine left only a part of its lower jaw in the rock as a record for posterity, but this was enough for Dr. Robert W. Wilson, paleontologist of the California Institute of Technology, to place it in the proper family.

It was evidently a somewhat larger, heavier creature than either of the two porcupine species now found in the United States. Hitherto the creatures have been considered relatively late arrivals on this continent; although they have a greater antiquity in South America. Other bones gathered in the area indicate that South American animal types were penetrating far northward at the time.

Fossils of both the extant species of porcupines go back only to cave or volcanic fissure deposits dating from the middle or late ice-age period. Hitherto, however, the tangible evidence of this consisted only of two teeth found in the Niobrara river region of Wyoming, and paleontologists are in doubt as to whether these could not be assigned more properly to an extent beaver. No additional remains ever have been found in the area.

The remains identified by Dr. Wilson are closer to the present porcupines than to the older animal.

Arizona Woman Makes Pets of Gila Monsters

Tucson, Ariz.—If any traveler to Arizona should wish to take home a playful little Gila monster to keep the cat from getting lonesome, he can buy one already house-broken.

Mrs. Nell Holderman has opened Arizona's queerest pet ranch. She trains Gila monsters for pets and sells them to tourists.

So well behaved are the monsters, whose skin looks like a woman's beaded bag, that they come waddling on their four human-like feet when she calls them by name. They are also quite affectionate, climbing on her shoulders and caressing her neck.

"Although most people are afraid of Gila monsters because they can bite like bulldogs, sinking their sharp teeth in a vise-like grip into the flesh, they are not dangerous," Mrs. Holderman declared. "If treated kindly, they will come to love you and to obey you. They are as smart as a dog and can be taught any number of tricks."

Initials Cut on Tree by Woodpecker Startle

Leonardtown, Md.—A white-necked woodpecker able to print letters of the alphabet with its beak is being regarded with awe here by some citizens as living proof of the theory of reincarnation.

On the limbs of an ancient 6 foot pear tree growing in the garden of Tudor Hall Mansion, ancestral home of the Key family, built in 1700, this bird has tapped out in spots the initials "P. H. J." and in another place has made a "W."

The tree was planted many years ago to the memory of a youth whose initials were F. H. J. and who was killed during a duel while he was a midshipman at the Naval academy. The bird is the sailor in new guise, sharp-eyed oldtimers in St. Marys county have it.

Caddy Bequest Will Go to Most Deserving Boy

St. Louis, Mo.—An estate for deserving caddies has been established by the will of a St. Louis golfer. Walter Hyde Saunders, who died recently.

Saunders willed $500 to the Bellefire Country club. The interest is to be given each year to the caddie who during the year has the best record for efficiency, courtesy and honor.

Preference will be given boys supporting their mothers or earning their way through school.

Strange Fishes Sold; Museum in Mourning

Honolulu.—Enterprising Chinese fish merchants broke the scientific hearts of Bishop museum researchers when they peddled steaks from two strange fish of a species never seen before in Hawaii.

The anonymous specimens, weighing 44 and 28 pounds, respectively, were caught off the Kona coast, island of Hawaii. The fish had stubby tails and blunt snouts, which made them strangely resemble hogs.

Museum experts determined from photographs luckily taken of the specimens that they slightly resembled fish of the Labridae family known as the Wrasse.

Colored DOTS

By R. Q. Lawing

The secondfarm crop exhibit was staged in the agricultural classroom last Friday evening before a large crowd of boys, school patrons and friends. The exhibits consisted of the following classes: wheat, corn, tobacco and sweet potatoes, turnips and butter.

The following boys were winners: of first, second and third prize respectively: wheat, Vane Watkins James H. Watkins and Neal Lewis corn: James H. Watkins, Peter Flood and Lawrence Allen Shaner tobacco: Neal Lewis, Neal Lewis and Peter Flood; potatoes: John Leathers, Lawrence Gillihan and James H. Watkins; sweet potatoes: Mertin Mason, McKinley Tibbs and Ralph Lewis. There was no sufficient competition in butter and turnips.

The judges were: Mr. B. G Anderson and Progressor Gills, who rendered a very fine service and spoke very complimentary about the exhibit.

Football Game

The Appomattox Gangsters will meet the R. R. Morton high school of Farmville here Friday, November 15. The game will be called at 2: 30. This is our first game at home and we are happy to play it on our new field. Principal A. E. Jordan and also coach is calling on the town of Appomattox to help the boys win this game, it will mark the dedication of our new field and it is our hope and object to win. A small offering will be taken at the game.

Brief and Personals

Edward Forbes is recovering from a recent operation in a Lynchburg hospital.

Mrs. Mary F. McDaniel has returned home after spending a months vacation in New York as guest of her son.

Professor and Mrs. C B Barks, of Cumberland were Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs. R. Q Lawing

Douglass Watkins celebrated his sixty third birthday Sunday. His dinner guests were: Revs. J. Warrington and P W Price and Mr. and Mrs. Jamieson Hendler and R Q Lawing.

Mrs. Margaret Forbes Evans is visiting her mother.

Mrs. Lucy Neal Patterson is recovering from a recent illness.

Rev. Nelson Jordon and Miss Beatrice Hughes, of Farmville, were visitors at the training school last Tuesday.

The visiting team and friends will be entertained Friday after the game.

Miss Ernestine Patterson spent the week end in Lynchburg.

Where To Worship

Galilee Baptist church: preaching every first and third Sundays at 11:45 A. M, Sunday School every Sunday at 10:00.

First Baptist church: preaching every second and fourth Sunday at 11:30 A. M, Sunday School every Sunday at 10:00.

Miss Anna Jones U.D.C. Speaker

From the High Point Enterprise.

One of the most enjoyable meetings in the history of the chapter was held yesterday by the High Point chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, at the home of Mrs. G. H. Kearns on Hillcrest drive, at which time Mrs. Hayworth was associate hostess. Miss Anna Jones, prominent in U. D. C. work in Virginia, was guest speaker at this time.

Miss Jones, who is president of the Appomattox chapter, U. D. C., at Appomattox, Va., for the past ten years, and a former teacher at Greensboro colleges, was presented by Mrs. H. N. Phillips and made a splendid talk on the dedication of Stratford, the home of Robert E. Lee, following its recent restoration. Miss Jones attended the dedication and in a most interesting manner she gave details concerning this service, as well as a description of Stratford since its restoration. She also gave a resume of Douglas Freeman's address at the dedication ceremony, which was well received.

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Order of Publication.

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Appomattox County, on the 30th day of October, 1935.

Bessie Ferguson Fitch, & al. Plaintiff

Against

Virginia Ferguson Reynolds, Roy Reynolds and the Unknown heirs at law and the next of kin of Frederick Ferguson deceased, Defendants.

The object of this suit is to determine the land owned by Frederick Ferguson, dec'd., who his heirs at law are, and to procure partition of the land by some means provided by law.

And it appearing by affidavit filed that Virginia Ferguson Reynolds, Roy Reynolds, her husband, and the Unknown heirs at law and next of kin of Frederick Ferguson, dec'd., if any, are not now residents of Virginia, they are hereby required to appear within ten days after the due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect their interests in this suit.

Teste:

C. W. Smith, Clerk.

George Abbitt Jr., p. q.

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